

386th BOMB GROUP MISSION NUMBER 241

DATE: JULY 31, 1944  
 TARGET: R R BRIDGE  
 LOCATION: TOURS-LA-RICHE, FRANCE  
 No. OF BOMBS: { 68 x 1000  
 20 x 260  
 WT. OF BOMBS: 1000 & 260 LB  
 INTERVAL: 50 FEET  
 BOMB RUN: 105° HEADING  
 BATTLE DAMAGE: \* 9

BOX No. I

LEAD FLIGHT

LT. COL. HANKEY \* (1)  
 131576 AN-Z  
 DINAH MIGHT  
 LT. RICHARDSON (3)  
 131583 AN-X  
 LA GOLONDRINA  
 LT. HODGE \* (2)  
 131650 AN-O  
 MISS MARY  
 LT. LYTLE \* (4)  
 296275 AN-T

CLOUD COVER: NONE BELOW 12,000'  
 VISIBILITY: 10 To 15 MILES  
 TEMPERATURE: MINUS 3 C, 12,000'  
 WIND: 280° @ 15 MPH  
 ALTITUDE: 11,500 FEET  
 AIR SPEED: 180 MPH  
 GND SPEED: 230 MPH  
 No. OF AIRCRAFT: 18

LOW FLIGHT

LT. KEAR (1)  
 131658 RU-A  
 PRAY DONNA  
 CAPTAIN HOLLAND (3)  
 296048 RU-C  
 LT. LAARSON (2)  
 131667 RU-N  
 SMOKEY  
 LT. PRICE (4)  
 118284 RU-M  
 TEXAS TAKANTOLA  
 LT. CAVANAUGH (6)  
 131621 RU-P  
 THUMBS UP  
 LT. SCHULER (5)  
 131812 RU-J

LT. CLEVELAND \* (6)  
 131577 AN-Y  
 ELMER  
 CRASH LANDED IN FRANCE - A/C A TOTAL LOSS.

LT. HARRIS, R.T. \* (5)  
 296209 AN-R  
 LANDED ON BEACH HEAD IN FRANCE.

HIGH FLIGHT

LT. ADAMS (1)  
 131844 AN-F  
 LT. SCOTT \* (3)  
 131610 AN-P  
 HARD LUCK  
 LT. PETIT (4)  
 131877 RU-V  
 BAR FLY  
 LT. RUTT \* (2)  
 296128 AN-N  
 LT. DANIELS \* (6)  
 296083 RU-T  
 LT. KELLEY, F.M. \* (5)  
 296184 RU-O

SHOT DOWN BY A DIRECT 88mm FLAK HIT. TAIL SECTION BLOWN OFF.

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 No. OF BOMBS: 72  
 WT. OF BOMBS: 1000 LB  
 INTERVAL: 50 FEET  
 BOMB RUN: 105° HEADING  
 BATTLE DAMAGE: \* 12

BOX No. II

LEAD FLIGHT

CAPTAIN BURGESS (1)  
 296311 RG-Q  
 LT. R.D. HOFFMAN \* (3)  
 135019 RG-K  
 HORIZONTAL HELEN  
 CAPTAIN CURRAN (4)  
 296321 RG-V  
 TRUE LOVE  
 LT. LISTON (2)  
 131608 RG-D  
 LT. SNYDER (6)  
 134962 RG-K  
 LT. CUTLER (5)  
 296084 RG-C

CLOUD COVER: NONE BELOW 12,000'  
 VISIBILITY: 10 To 15 MILES  
 TEMPERATURE: MINUS 3°C. 12,000'  
 WIND: 280° @ 15 MPH  
 ALTITUDE: 10,500 FEET  
 AIR SPEED: 180 MPH  
 GND SPEED: 230 MPH  
 No. OF AIRCRAFT: 18

LOW FLIGHT

MAJOR WILSON \* (1)  
 296220 YA-Q  
 MAN-O-WAR II  
 LT. OWEN \* (3)  
 134946 YA-L  
 THE YANKEE GUERRILLA  
 LT. RUPLE \* (2)  
 135358 YA-V  
 SEXY BETSY  
 LT. LAGEASON \* (4)  
 334161 YA-T  
 DAISY MAE  
 LT. TURNER \* (6)  
 131789 YA-A  
 HELL'S BELLE II  
 LT. WICKS \* (5)  
 131612 YA-Z  
 MR FIVE BY FIVE

HIGH FLIGHT

LT. MADSON (1)  
 296284 RG-Z  
 LT. SLANKER \* (3)  
 134941 RG-D  
 SLIGHTLY DANGEROUS  
 LT. ARMSTRONG \* (2)  
 131630 RG-J  
 GERONIMO  
 LT. SIGLER \* (4)  
 131615 YA-W  
 HELL'S ANGELS  
 LT. BEGGS \* (6)  
 131970 YA-P  
 SPAM-BURGER  
 LT. OVERTON \* (5)  
 296269 YA-O  
 OL GRAY MARE

SPARES: